

New for 2011- Mini-CROCS !!



This year, we are proud to offer a new addition to our already fantastic team! The Mini-CROCS is a developmental team for children ages 3-6 (based on age as of June 1st) to help develop fundamental swimming skills. Swimmers may be promoted to the CROCS swim team during the season at the coaches discretion. The last day to be moved to the swim team is Friday, June 24th. This will allow swimmers to potentially swim two swim meets and be eligible to swim at conference.

Criteria for the CROCS swim team is as follows: able to jump in the deep end and swim half the length of the pool unassisted. Skills assessments/evaluations for borderline swimmers will be held Tuesday, May 31st, from 5:30-6:00 PM (for last names A-L) and Wednesday, June 1st, from 5:30-6:00 PM (for last names M-Z). Following these evaluations, children will either be placed on the CROCS swim team or remain on the mini-CROCS.

The mini-CROCS season is Monday, June 6th, through Friday, July 1st. Practices will be held three times a week on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays from 10:30-11:00. Children must be potty trained by June 6th. A parent or responsible adult must be on deck and remain behind the gate at all times during the practice.

The cost for mini-CROCS is \$75 for pool members or \$90 for non-pool members. If at any point in the season your child is deemed eligible to compete at a dual swim meet, you will be asked to pay the difference in fees (additional \$35 for pool members, \$60 for non-pool members). After the additional fees are collected, your child would then be asked and expected to attend practice on every weekday (11:00-11:30).

In order to make our swim team successful, we rely on our great parent volunteers. All swim team parents are required to work three to four meets and conference (unless they pay the fee for the buyout option). If you have a child on the mini-CROCS, you **WILL** be required to work one meet during the regular swim team season. If your child is promoted to the CROCS swim team, the three-to-four meet requirement becomes effective (depending on the date in the season). Please fill out the volunteer form in the registration packet to help us meet this need.

Please complete the swimmer registration form in the packet to sign up your child up the mini-CROCS team. Please note on the roster form with an "***" you are signing up your child for the "mini-CROCS" team.

Private lessons are available on a separate, paid basis from any of the coaches.